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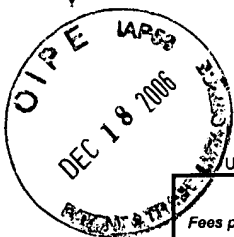
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		<b>Small Entity</b>		<b>Small Entity</b>		<b>Small Entity</b>	
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						<b>Small Entity</b>	
<b>Fee Description</b>						<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)						50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)						200	100
Multiple dependent claims						360	180
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
SOFTWARE PROTECTION VIA  
MULTIPLE-ROUTE EXECUTION

Confirmation No. 5617

Art Unit: 2115

Examiner: Dennis M. Butler

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**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the non-final Office Action dated September 18, 2006, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Reply. It is not believed that any fees are due with the filing of this amendment. In the event that fees are due, please charge deposit account no. 22-0261 and notify the undersigned accordingly.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this Amendment.